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production both scheduled and actual, of pig iron, raw steel ingots, basic steel, open hearth (M steel, electric steel, semi-finished products and rolled steel by enterprises of the Iron Industry Main Administration of the Ministry for Metallurgy and Ore APR 1 in East Berlin in August 1953.

The plan fulfilment was less

in August 1953 than in July as is indicated by the following tabulation:

	July 1953		August 1953	
	Planned Production	Actual Production	Planned Production	Actual /
Pig iron	97,500 tons	94, 612 tons	97,000 tons	92,030 tons
Raw steel	171,250 tons	150,338 tons	174,862 tons	161,150 tons
Rolled products	89,065 tons	88,792 tons	89,065 tons	84,905 tons

This decrease of production was probably caused by passive resistence by the workers which has repeatedly been reported since June 1953.

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